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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Article Number: 7013 3020 0001 1645 0926

Ms. Gayla Hoppenworth Human Resources Advanced Heat Treat 2825 Midport Blvd. Waterloo, Iowa 50703

LETTER OF WARNING

Dear Gayla Hoppenworth:

RE:

Advanced Heat Treat

Waterloo, Iowa

TRIFID: 50703DVNCD2825M

On April 5, 2016, a representative of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) inspected your facilities at Midport Blvd. and Burton Ave. The purpose of these inspections was to assess the facility's compliance with the Clean Air Act and your operating permit, pursuant to Section 114 of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. §7401 et seq. Your facilities were also inspected to assess compliance efforts regarding the reporting requirements of Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA). Please find enclosed a copy of the inspection reports.

At the time of the inspection, the EPA inspector issued a notice of potential findings for TRIFID: 50703DVNCD2825M, noting that in 2011 a Form A was used to report Ammonia when a Form R should have been used. Since the time of the inspection this reporting has been amended. Thank you for your response to the notice of potential findings.

EPA plans no further action at this time with regards to the above mentioned CAA or EPCRA inspections. Please note that your correction of the violation does not prevent EPA from pursuing appropriate enforcement action, including penalties, for violations discovered as a result of the inspection. The penalties sought within such an enforcement action can be up to \$37,500 per violation per day of non-compliance.

Please direct all questions concerning this letter to me at (913) 551-5014 or johnson.karent@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Karen T Johnson

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Air Compliance Officer

Enclosure

Inspection Report

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